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SUBJECT: STUDENT OCCUPATION OF LIBYAN EMBASSY

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OCCUPATION OF LIBYAN EMBASSY IN LONDON BY LIBYAN STUDENTS HAS APPARENTLY BEEN PEACEFUL. AMBASSADOR MAGHRIBI REMAINED IN THE EMBASSY TALKING TO THE STUDENTS FOR SEVERAL HOURS AFTER THEY OCCUPIED IT AT NOON JANUARY 12. PRESS REPORTS MID-DAY JANUARY 13 STUDENTS VOTED TO END SIEGE. ACCORDING TO PRESS, OCCUPYING GROUP OF 100 STUDENTS WAS LED BY ABDURRAHMAN SEWEHLI AND WAS PROTESTING ALLEGED VIOLENCE USED TO QUELL DISTURBANCES AT BENGHAZI UNIVERSITY. FCO INFOPMS US LIBYAN EMBASSY ASKED THAT BRITISH POLICE NOT INTERVENE. FCO UNDERSTANDS STUDENTS DISPERSING AS OF AFTERNOON 13TH.

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